Remarks

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed January 18, 2005, Applicant hereby elects with traverse the claims of Group I, Claims 1-31 drawn to a weatherseal for prosecution in the present application.

An inadvertent omission of Claim 12 has been corrected by renumbering original claims 13-60 as 12-59. Thus, the claims of Group I, Claims 1-31 drawn to a weatherseal are elected with traverse, and the claims of Group II, Claims 32-59 are withdrawn.

If the Examiner feels any further issues remain, the Examiner is cordially invited to contact the undersigned so that such matter may be promptly resolved.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian B. Shaw, Registration No. 33,782 HARTER, SECREST & EMERY LLP

1600 Bausch & Lomb Place

Rochester, New York 14604

Telephone: 585-232-6500

Fax: 585-232-2152

Dated: February 18, 2005